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# Legislative Highlights

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October 8, 2018

## Bills with a SACOG Position

Bill	SACOG's Position	Passed First House Policy Committee	Passed House of Origin	Passed Second House Policy Committee	Passed Second House	Sent to Governor's Desk	Signed into Law
AB 1771 (Bloom) - Changes to the Regional Housing Needs Assessment (RHNA) Process	Oppose Unless Amended						
AB 1952 (Mayes) - Social Services: Access to Food and Potential Food Hub Pilot	Support						
AB 2596 (Cooley) - State Economic Development Strategic Action Plan	Support						
SB 1162 (Pan) - Capitol Area Planning: Height Limits	Support						
SB 1184 (Pan) - Sacramento Shared Autonomous Vehicle Pilot Project	Support						

## AB 1999 (Chau): Local Government Provided Broadband Service

**Status:** Signed by the Governor

**Summary:** Allows a county service area to provide for the acquisition, construction, improvement, maintenance, or operation of broadband internet access service, allows an Enhanced Infrastructure Financing District (EIFD) to finance the acquisition, construction, or improvement of broadband internet access service, and broadens the authority of a community services district to construct, own, improve, maintain, and operate broadband facilities and to provide broadband services. Also establishes net neutrality rules for local governments that provide broadband services.

**Support:** American Civil Liberties Union of California, California Special Districts Association, Electronic Frontier Foundation, The Utility Reform Network (*based on Senate Floor analysis*)

**Opposition:** None on file (*based on Senate Floor analysis*)

# AB 2518 (Aguiar-Curry): Innovative Forest Products and Mass Timber

**Status:** Signed by the Governor

**Summary:** Requires CalFire to identify barriers to in-state production of mass timber and other innovative forest products, and develop solutions that are consistent with the state's climate objectives on forest lands. Also requires the Governor's Forest Health Task Force to develop recommendations for siting of additional wood product manufacturing facilities in the state.

**Support:** American Insurance Association, California Farm Bureau Federation, California Tahoe Alliance, Lake County Board of Supervisors, National Association of Mutual Insurance Companies, Nature Conservancy, Northern California Power Agency, Pacific Association of Domestic Insurance Companies, Personal Insurance Federation of California, Property Casualty Insurers Association of America, Rural County Representatives of California, Sierra Business Council, Sierra Institute for Community and the Environment *(based on Senate Floor analysis)*

**Opposition:** California Construction and Industrial Materials Association, California Nevada Cement Association, Mason Contractors Association of California, National Ready Mix Concrete Association *(based on Senate Floor analysis)*

## SB 1072 (Leyva): Regional Climate Collaborative Program

**Status:** Signed by the Governor

**Summary:** Creates a regional climate collaborative program administered by the Strategic Growth Council (SGC) to assist under-resourced communities gain access to public funding for climate change mitigation and adaptation projects. Eligible applicants to form a collaborative include nonprofits, small businesses, local government agencies, and joint powers authorities. Authorizes SGC to award grants to collaboratives. Requires SGC to develop technical assistance guidelines for state agencies to use when delivering their technical assistance resources or developing additional internal technical assistance policies.

**Support:** The Greenlining Institute (co-source), Trust for Public Land (co-source), American Lung Association, California League of Conservation Voters, California Park & Recreation Society, California State Parks Foundation, City of Stockton, Environmental Defense Fund, Foundation for California Community Colleges, Natural Resources Defense Council, Roseville Urban Forest Foundation, Rural County Representatives of California, Sacramento Tree Foundation, Sacramento Urban Forest Council, Tree Davis, Woodland Tree Foundation *(partial list based on Senate Floor analysis)*

**Opposition:** None on file *(based on Senate Floor analysis)*

## Final Status of Reported Bills

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SB 828 (Wiener): Changes to the Regional Housing Needs Assessment (RHNA) Process						
AB 3037 (Chiu, et al.): Redevelopment Agencies						
AB 3059 (Bloom): Congestion Relief Pilot Program						
SB 827 (Wiener): Transit-Rich Housing Bonus						
AB 1792 (Frazier): Affordable Housing Authority Funded Infrastructure						
AB 2162 (Chiu): By-Right Supportive Housing						
AB 2890 (Ting): Accessory Dwelling Unit Ordinance Regulations						
SB 961 (Allen): Enhanced Infrastructure Financing Districts						
SB 1227 (Skinner): Student Housing Density Bonus						
SB 901 (Dodd): Wildfire Preparedness and Response Conference Committee Report						

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AB 1804 (Berman): CEQA Exemption for Infill Housing in Unincorporated Areas	Completed					
AB 2447 (Reyes): CEQA Notice and Meeting Requirements for Industrial Projects	Completed					
AB 2341 (Mathis): CEQA Exemption for Aesthetic Impacts	Completed					
AB 2782 (Friedman): Analysis of Project Benefits and Impacts of Project Denials	Completed					
AB 1901 (Oberholte): Roadway Project CEQA Exemption	Completed					
AB 2279 (Fong): CEQA Judicial Review						
AB 2856 (Melendez): CEQA Judicial Review						
SB 1340 (Glazer): CEQA Judicial Review						
AB 3020 (Flora): Wildfire and Disaster CEQA Exemptions						
AB 3030 (Caballero): CEQA Exemption in Opportunity Zones	Completed					